
Integrity - Service - Excellence

Joint Synthetic Battlespace Industry Forum



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JSB Industry Forum Agenda

February 6, 2004

- **0900-1130**
 - **Introductions/Administrivia (Lunch, Etc)**
 - **Survey Completion**
 - **JSB Overview**
 - **Discussion Intro - Program Challenges**
- **1130 - Lunch**
- **1200-1500**
 - **Facilitated Discussion**
 - **Wrapup and Summary**



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JSB Overview



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Overview Topics

- **Goals**
 - **Background**
 - **CONOPs**
 - **Development Strategy**
 - **Schedule**
 - **Funding**
 - **Business Model**
 - **Summary**
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JSB Goals Desired End State

**Readily Available Reuseable
Modeling & Simulation
Capabilities and Services That Allow**

**1) Improved Warfighting Training &
Mission Rehearsal**

&

**2) More Rapid Development & Delivery
of Integrated Warfighting Capabilities**

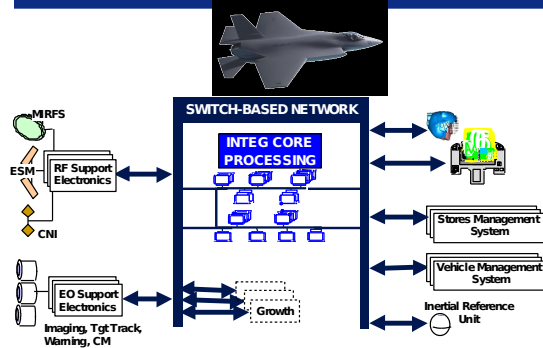
***Primary Customer Focus Initially Distributed Mission Operations (DMO)
and C2 Trades (C2 Constellation Testbed)***



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Background - The Need

Based on System Complexity



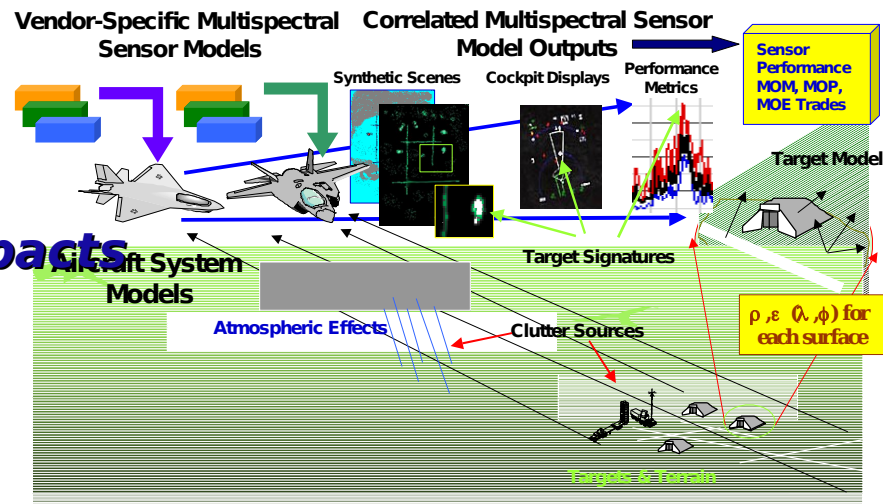
Complex System of Systems Interactions



Complex Integrated Avionics Within a Single System

Complex Environmental Impacts

- Terrain Elevations
- Weather
- Clutter/Vegetation



Need: Realistic and Accurate Representations!

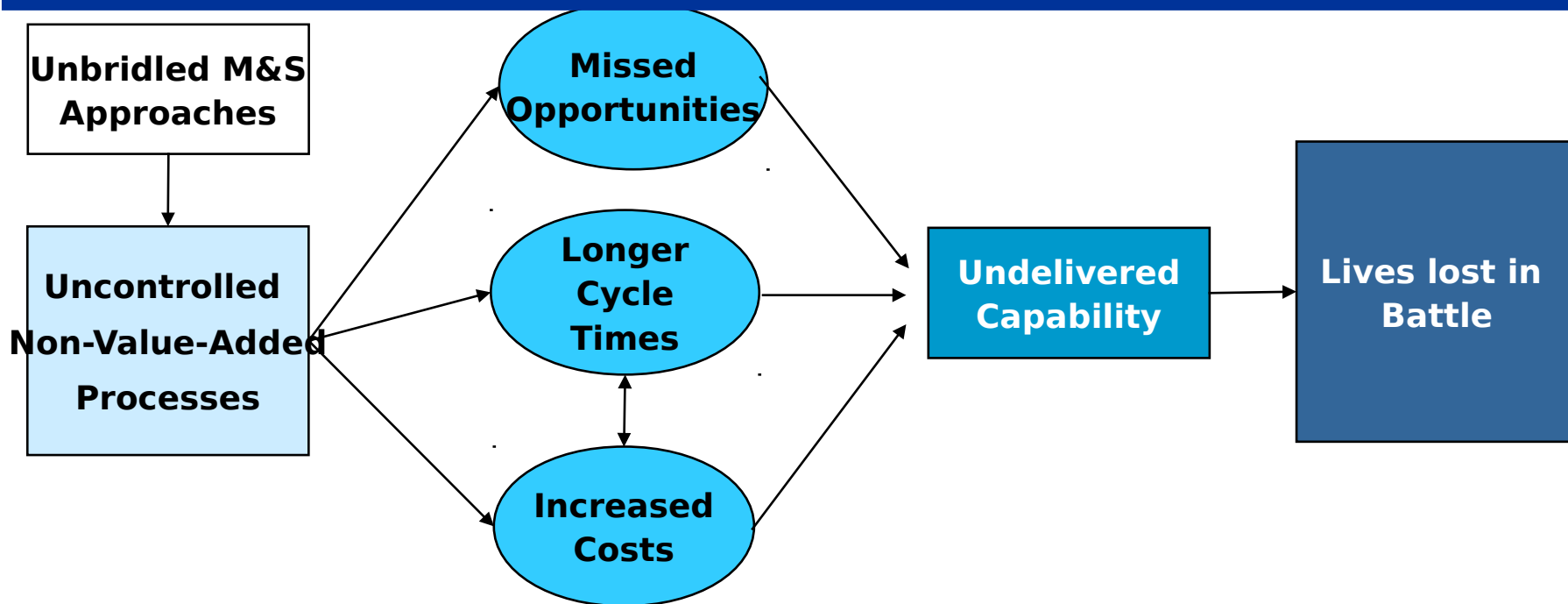


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Background - The Need

Based on Extensive Time to Create Synthetic Battlespaces

PROBLEM: Lack of Simulation Commonality has Created a Cumbersome, Labor-intensive, Time-consuming, Unresponsive Process



Need: An Ability to Easily & Rapidly Compose Synthetic Battlespaces! Supports Transformation!

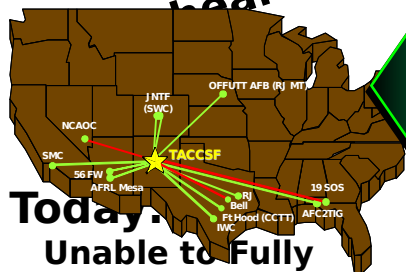


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Background - A Solution

Joint Synthetic Battlespace

Operator
Training,
Planning,
Rehearsal, . . .



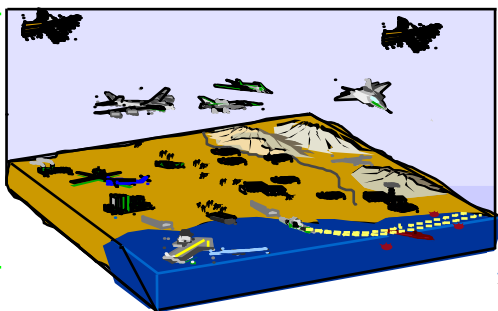
Today:

Unable to Fully Understand Operational Impacts in a Heavily Vegetated Environment
--Camouflage, Hyper-spectral, ...

Future:

Able to Understand Operational Impacts in all Environments

Joint Synthetic Battlespace



A Common Architecture That:

- Represents the Natural Environment Realistically
- Verified or Physics-Based Models

-Allows integration of Legacy Simulations

ACQUISITION
S&T, R&D,
E&E, . . .

Government & Contractor Sites, . . .



Today:

Unable to Fully Understand System of Systems and Environmental Impacts

Future:

Simulations Readily Available to Assess System Complexities

Product: Easily Integrate-able and Persistent M&S Components That are Reused for User Executions with High Confidence and Comparable/Repeatable Results



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Background - Senior Leadership Support

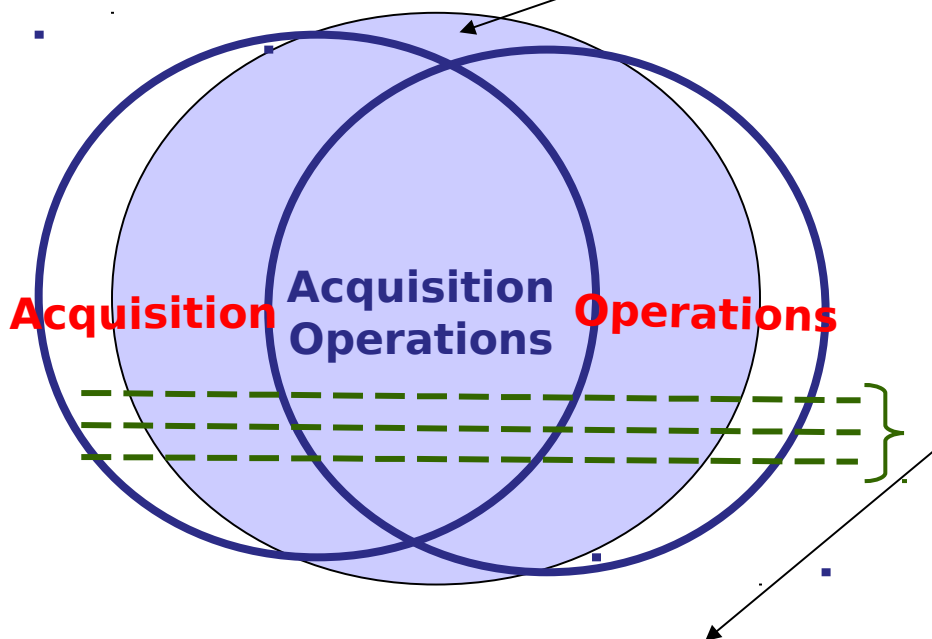
- **ACC-AFMC JSB Advocacy Memo - Jul 01**
 - **Establishes Need for Engineering the JSB “up front” to Effectively Field and Operate Task Force Capabilities**
- **C2ISR Summit - Apr 02**
 - **LTG Kenne Publicly Advocated JSB - Establishes JSB Executive Panel**
- **Air Force CORONA Top - May 02**
 - **ACC Assigned as Lead to Define JSB Operational Requirements for the Air Force**
- **C2ISR Round Table - Jul 02**
 - **ACC/AFMC Identified Partnership to Develop JSB CONOPs and Requirements**
- **ACC-AFMC MAJCOM Day - Jul 02**
 - **ACC Asked AFMC to Lead the JSB**
- **Air Force Requirements Oversight Council (AFROC) - 14 Nov 02**
 - **JSB Initial Requirements Document (IRD) Signed 3 Dec by MG Leaf**



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Background User Relationships

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Capabilities



Common Application Threads

- Analysis
- Test and Evaluation
- Logistics
- Experimentation
- ...

Acquisition:

- **Weapon Systems Procurement**
- **Sustainment**
- **S&T, R&D, T&E**

Operations:

- **Weapons Employment**
- **Warfare Preparation and Execution**
- **Mission Planning & Rehearsal**
- **Operational Training**
- **Battlespace Awareness**



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Background - Key Documentation

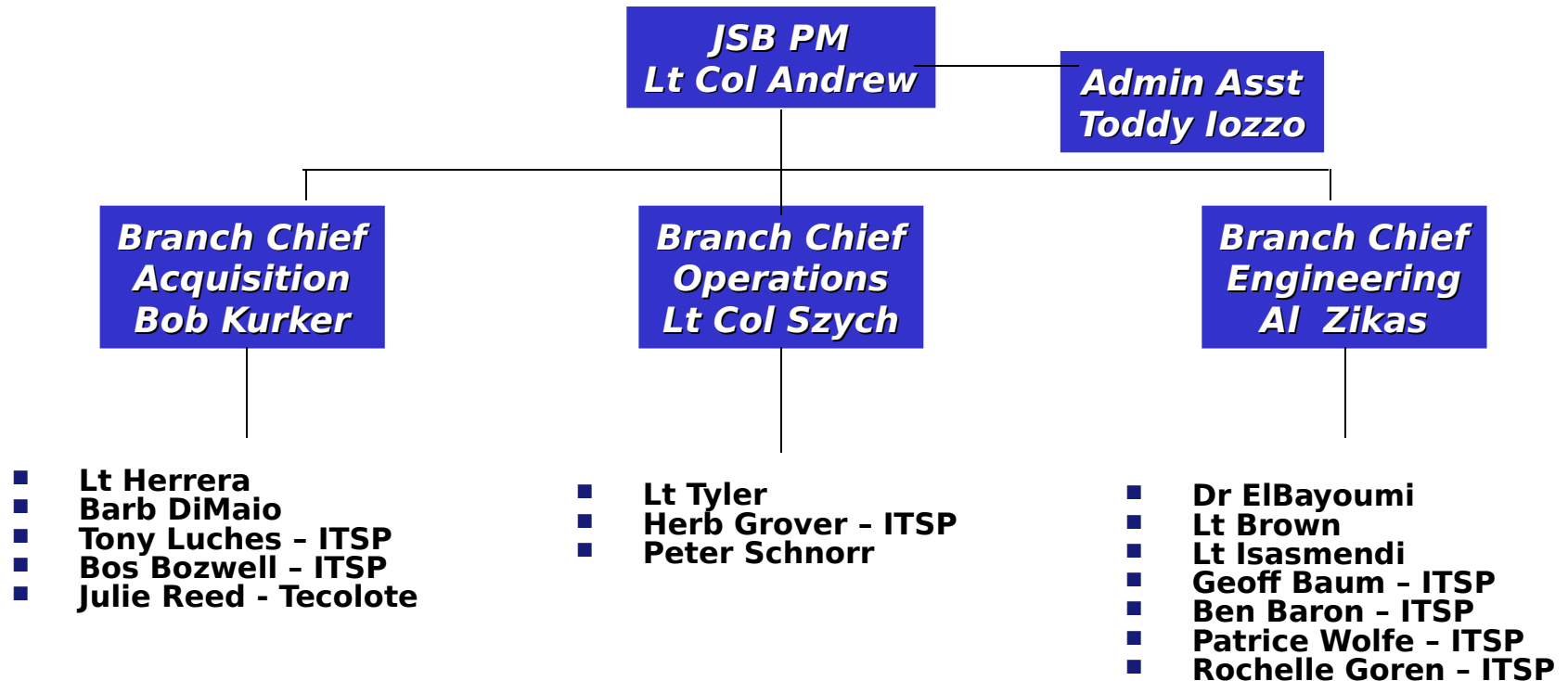
- **JSB Concept of Operations (CONOPS) - Simulation Based Acquisition (SBA) - Signed by Gen Lyles (AFMC/CC), Nov 01**
- **JSB Initial Requirements Document (IRD) - AFROCC Approved - Signed by MG Leaf, Dec 02**
- **JSB System Requirements Document - Draft - Reviewed by JSB Stakeholders - 15 Jan 04**
- **JSB Risk Assessment - Conducted 21 Jan 04 - 48 Consolidated Risks Identified (Contracting, PM, Technical, Political, CM, etc)**
- **JSB Roadmap - Draft Developed for JSB IPT Review - 20 Feb 04**
- **JSB Integrated Master Schedule (IMS) - Updating Program IMS**
- **JSB WBS - Updating Initial Program Drafts**
- **Initial Request for Information (RFI) to ITS Contractors - 19 Jan 04 4 Responses Received**
- **RFI to Industry - 5 Feb 04**
- **Defining the Business Process/Plan for Ktr/Govt Roles**

***Working With Users to Define JSB Since Aug 00
Via JSB Requirements Working Group (JRWG) and Other Forums***



Background - Organization

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CONOPS - Basic Capabilities

Primary Capabilities: (Approved 3 Dec 2002)

- Realistic Representations of Warfighting Capabilities
- Realistic Representations of Natural Environment
- Integrated Architecture Framework
- Mechanism to Capture and Distribute Information

Insight Into Accomplishing IRD Capabilities (FY 04 Increment)

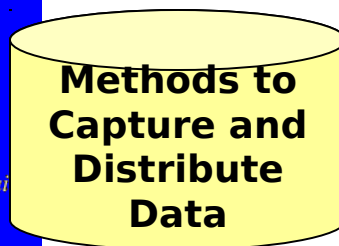
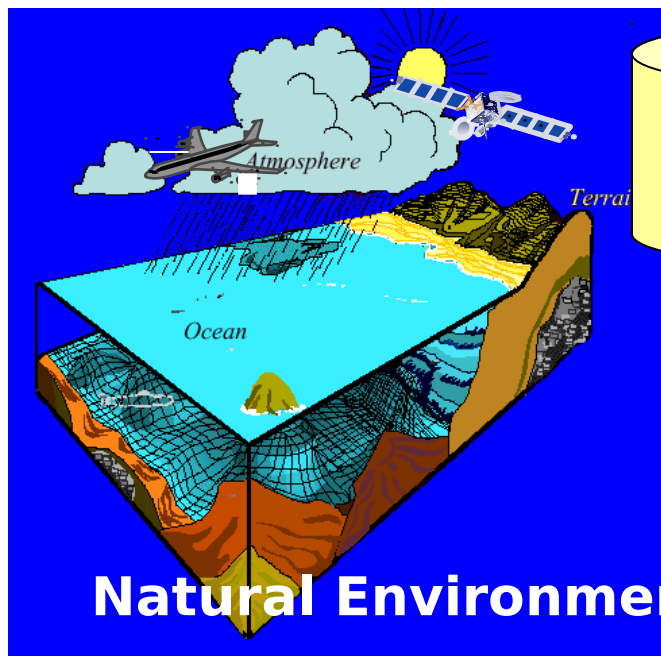


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CONOPs

Compose JSB Simulations

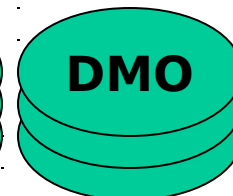
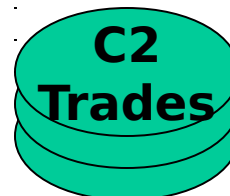
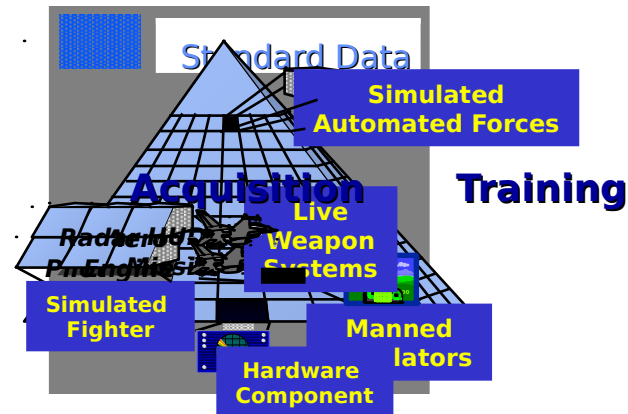
Building Block Components



Instantiate



Specific Uses



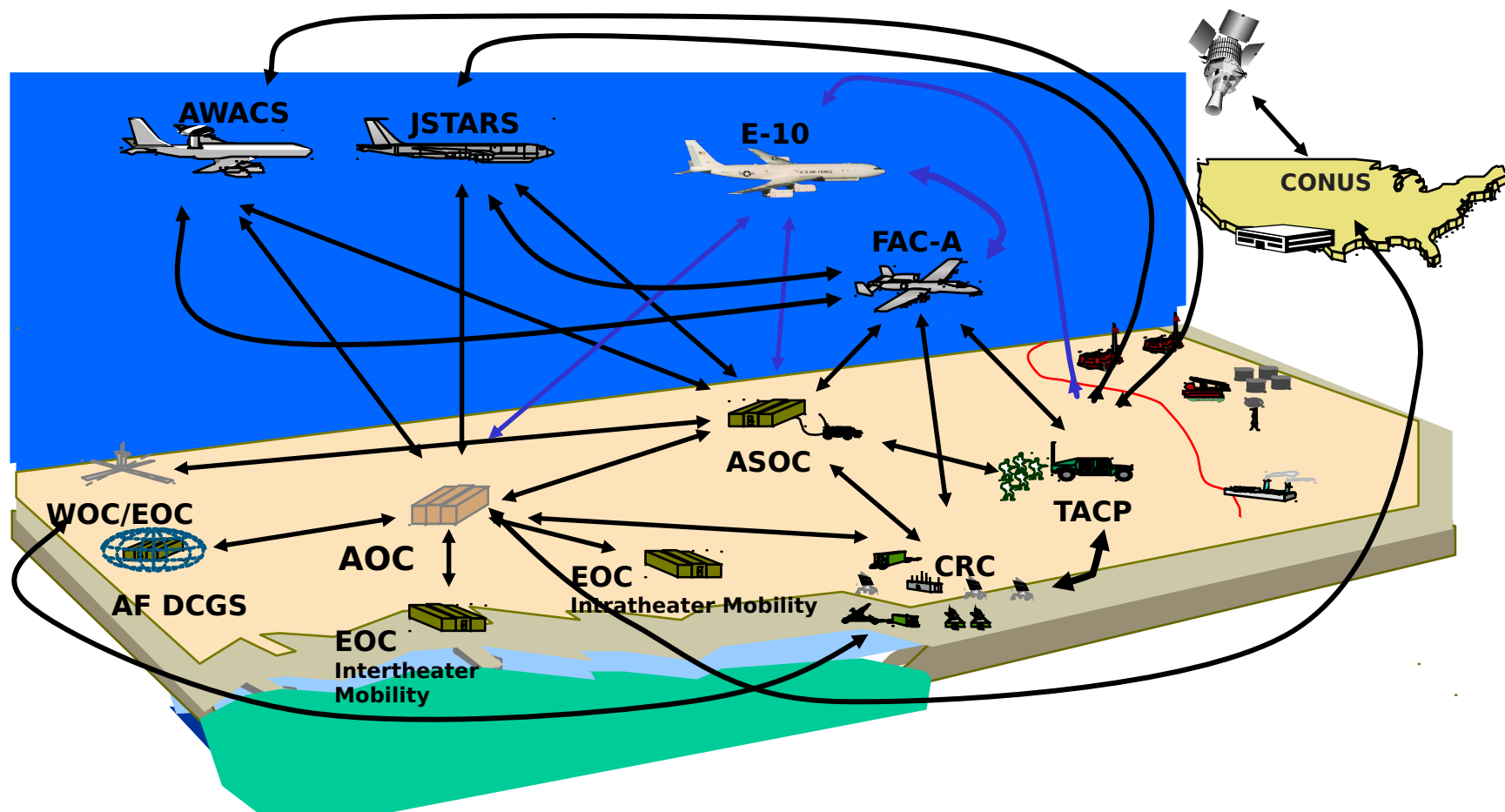
**Common Approach to Integration
(Standards)**



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CONOPs

Example Composition



Replicated warfighting capabilities and the relationships between them ... across the Operational Battlespace



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CONOPS Home Depot Analogy



Services & Capabilities



Installation and Maintenance
You Can Trust.

Catalog of JSB Components

- Warfighting Representations
 - Access to Legacy
 - Space Models
- Natural Environment
 - Atmosphere
 - Weather
 - Terrain
 - CSE
- Framework
 - Composability Tools
- Distributed Data Tools
 - Pre, Post Processing
 - Execution



JSB Services

- Already Built Components
 - Single
 - Integrated
- User Specified Built Components
 - Virtual Flag
 - C2CTB
 - JEFX
 - ACD&D
- Do It Yourself
- Customer Service Help

Home Improvement Projects Index

JSB Projects

Assembled Components for End-Users (Do it yourself)



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Program Direction

***Craft a Program that Provides Near Term Deliverables
Demonstrate JSB Successes in Support of the Long Term
JSB Vision***

- 1) Delivers Products in Support of DMO that are Within Scope of the JSB IRD and AF CONOPS**
- 2) Works Long Term Air Force M&S Challenges**
- 3) Promulgates Air Force M&S Interests in Joint Service M&S Efforts**

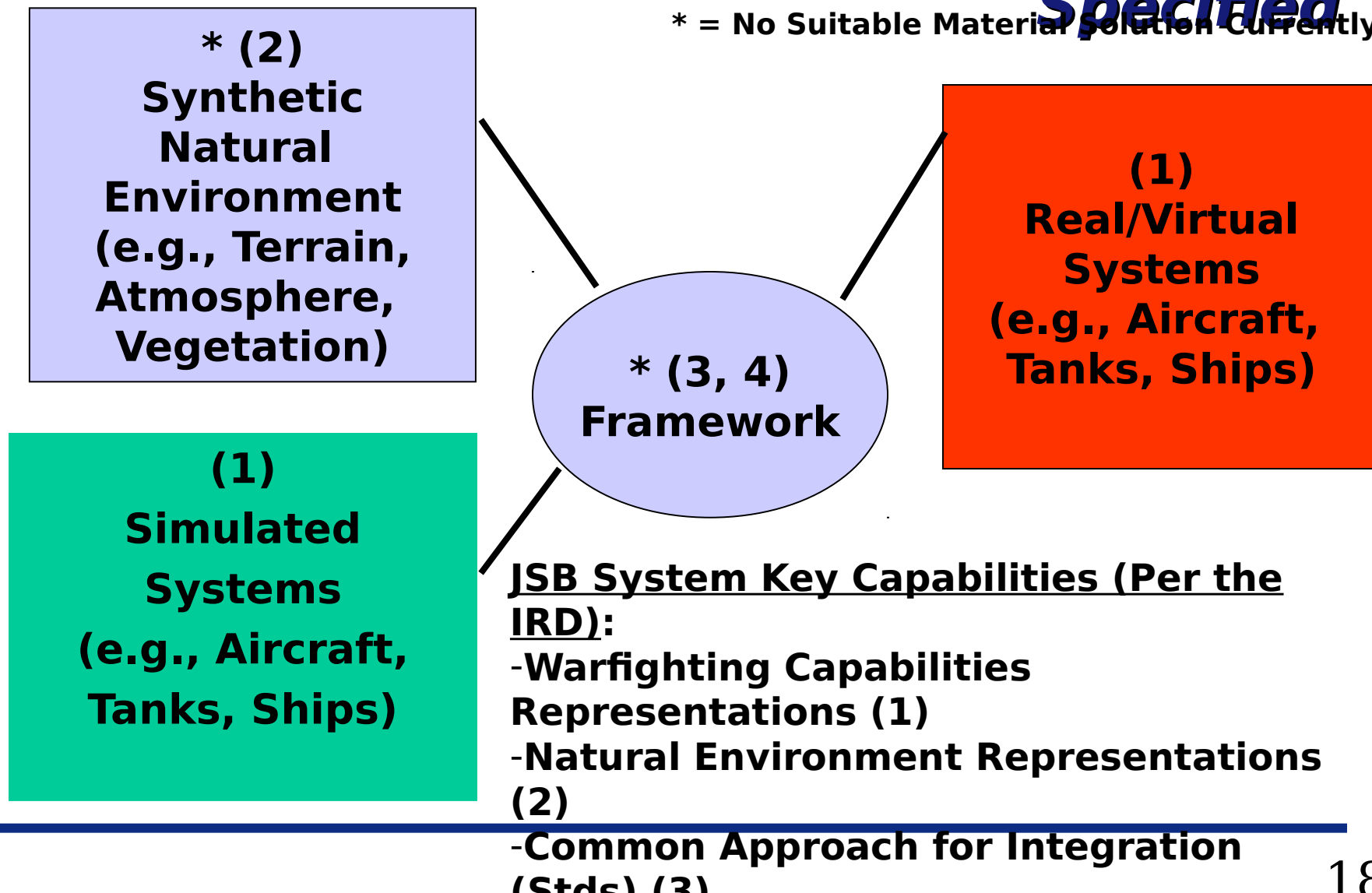
***JSB-AF IRD (AFROCC Approved - 3 Dec 02),
AF CONOPS, & AF MSCRs Provide Specific Technical Direction***



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Development Strategy Initial Reqs Document (IRD) Specified

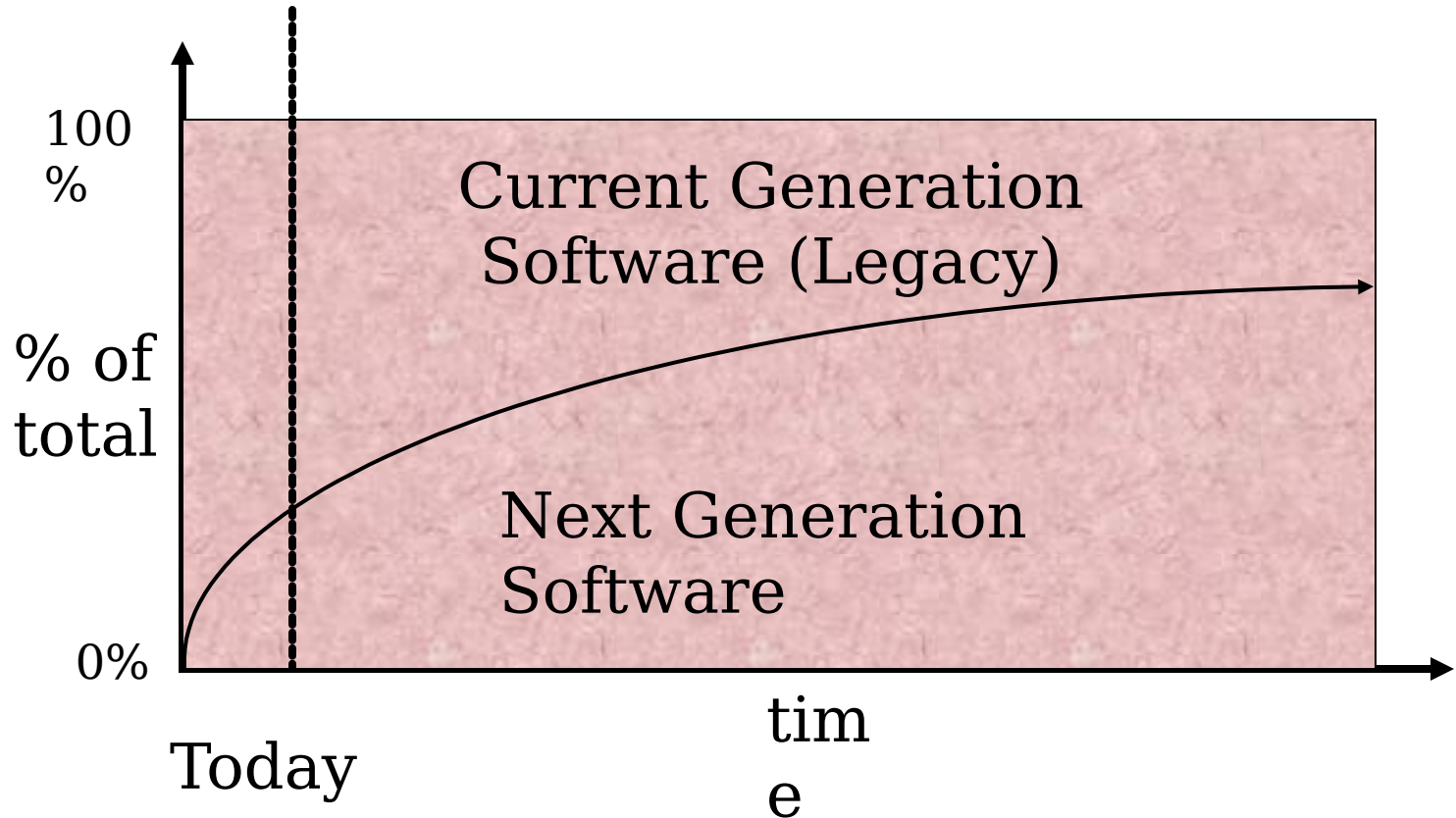
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Strategy - Overarching Leverage Legacy COTS/GOTS



Overaverage Legacy, Build Non Existent or Lacking Capabilities, Morph Legacy Over Time, Eventually Replace Legacy to Take Full Advantage of JSB Capabilities & Services



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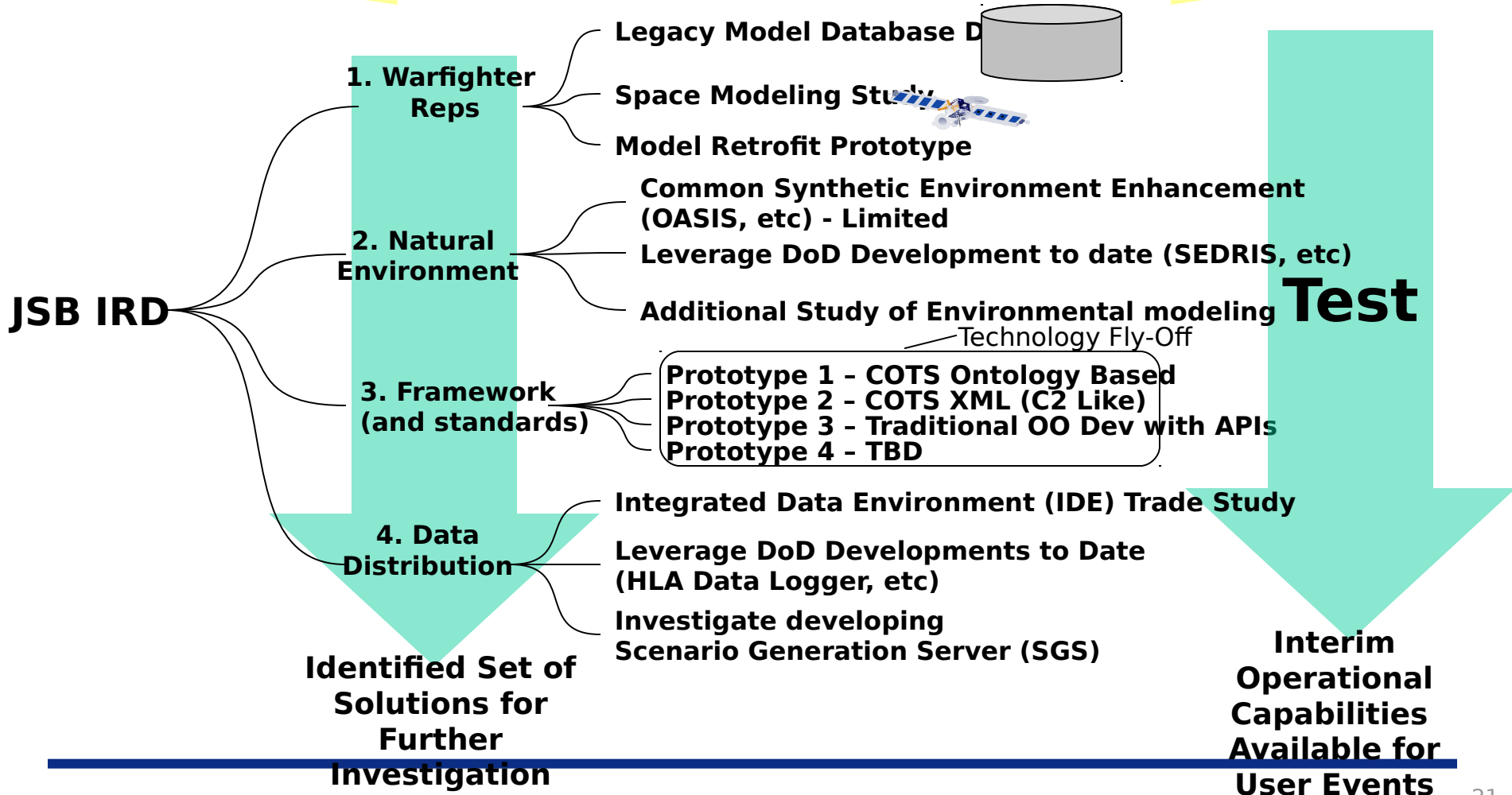
Development Strategy

Risk, Products, Joint

- **Address Long-Term Technical and Management Challenges to Mitigate Risks to Accomplishing the IRD**
 - **Provide Near-Term JSB Products Incrementally**
 - **Scenario Generation Server (SGS) for Distributed Mission Ops Center**
 - **Common Synthetic Environment for Natural Environment Using JMASS Components**
 - **Executable Architecture for DMOC Distributed Network**
 - **Further Align With the Joint Community to Develop Standards & Architecture**
 - **Provides AF influence**
 - **Leverages AF Technical Leadership in Key M&S Areas**
- Leverage Existing Legacy Capabilities Wherever Practical***

Long Term Risk Mitigation Operational Prototypes to Gain Insight

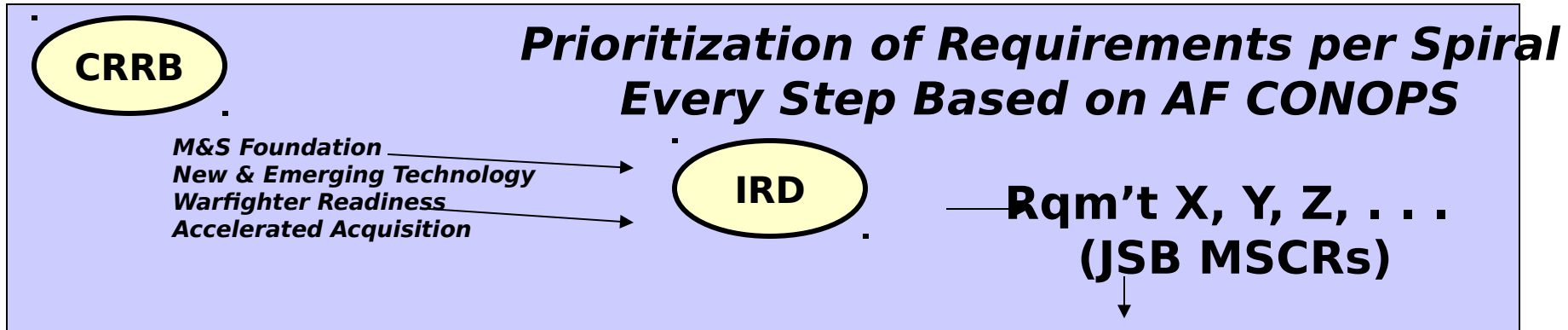
6-12 Month Prototype & Implementation Cycles





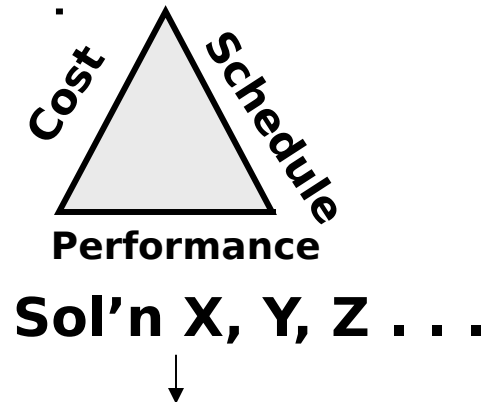
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Strategy - Near Term



IRD Screen:

- **Capstone Capabilities**
 - Realistic Representations of Warfighting Capabilities
 - Realistic Representations of Natural Environment
 - Integrated Architecture Framework
 - Mechanism to Capture and Distribute Information
- **System-Level Capabilities**
 - Identify and Select Simulation Components
 - Prepare Simulation Environment for Use
 - Manage the Configuration



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Capabilities**



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Strategy - Contract Support

- **Use Current Contract Support to Acquire Products Now**
 - **Scenario Generation Server for Simulation “Lay Down”**
 - **PBED such as After Action Reporting**
- **Compete Contract by Jul 04 to Obtain Needed Expertise**
 - **Experts in Information Technology, M&S Solutions, and Warfighting Simulation Experience**
 - **Capable of Identifying Gaps and Providing “Quick Turn” Solutions**
 - **M&S Systems Engineers and Architecture Analysts That Deliver Solutions as an Integrated Capability Based on Open Standards**



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Key Activities - FY04

■ DMOC Deliverables

- Initiated Meetings with DMOC to Clarify Scope**
- Scenario Generation Server Technology Interchange with the DMOC Conducted on 6 Nov 03**
- Support Options Being Assessed for Virtual Flag (VF) 04-3 Execution During (29 April - 6 May 04)**

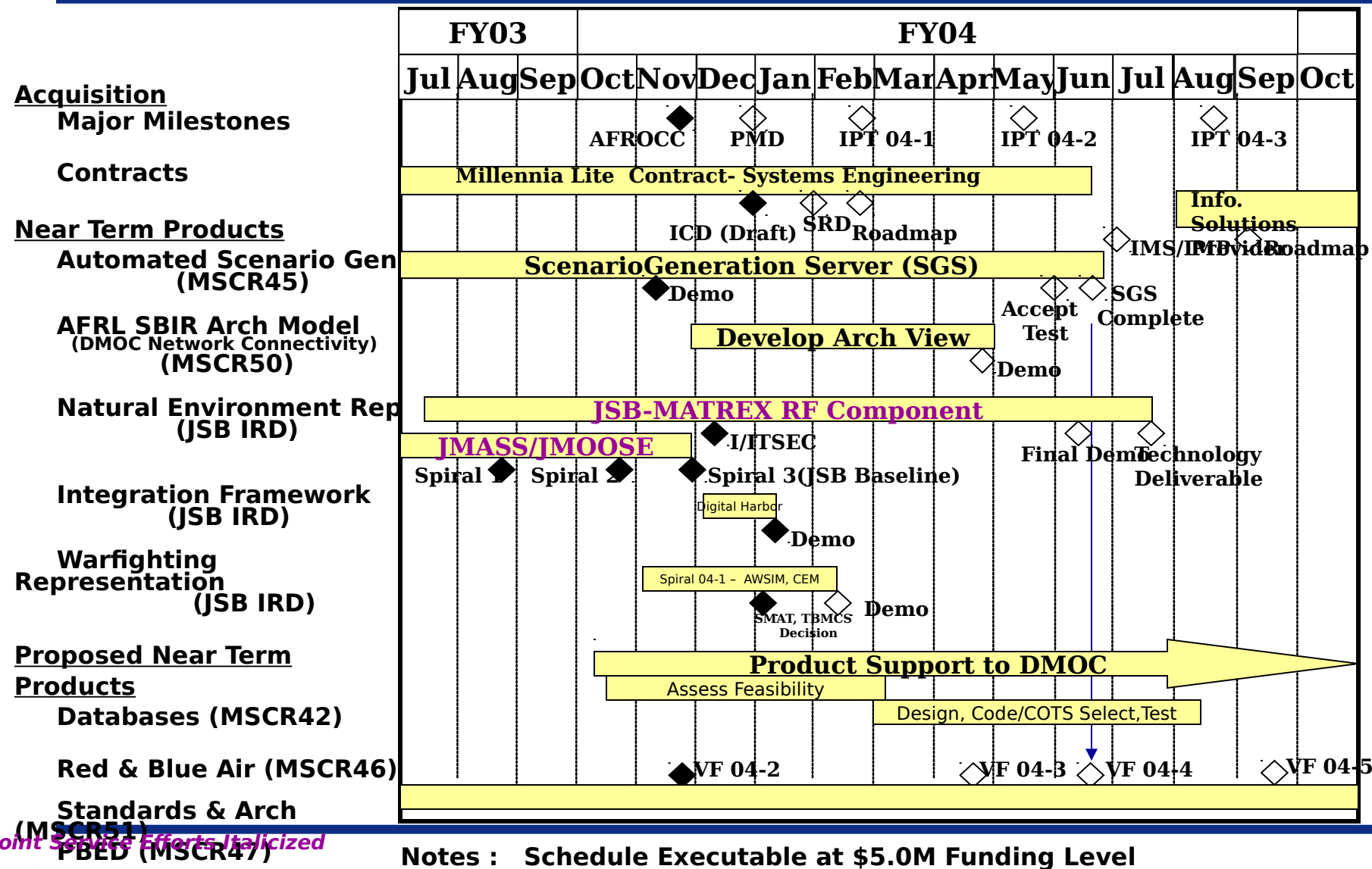
■ Joint Program Support

- JFCOM is Primary Focus (i.e., JNTC/RD3, DCEE)**
 - Getting Involved Early to Lead Air Force Interests**
 - Assessing Synergistic Efforts (e.g., SGS and JIDPS)**
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JSB Schedule - FY04

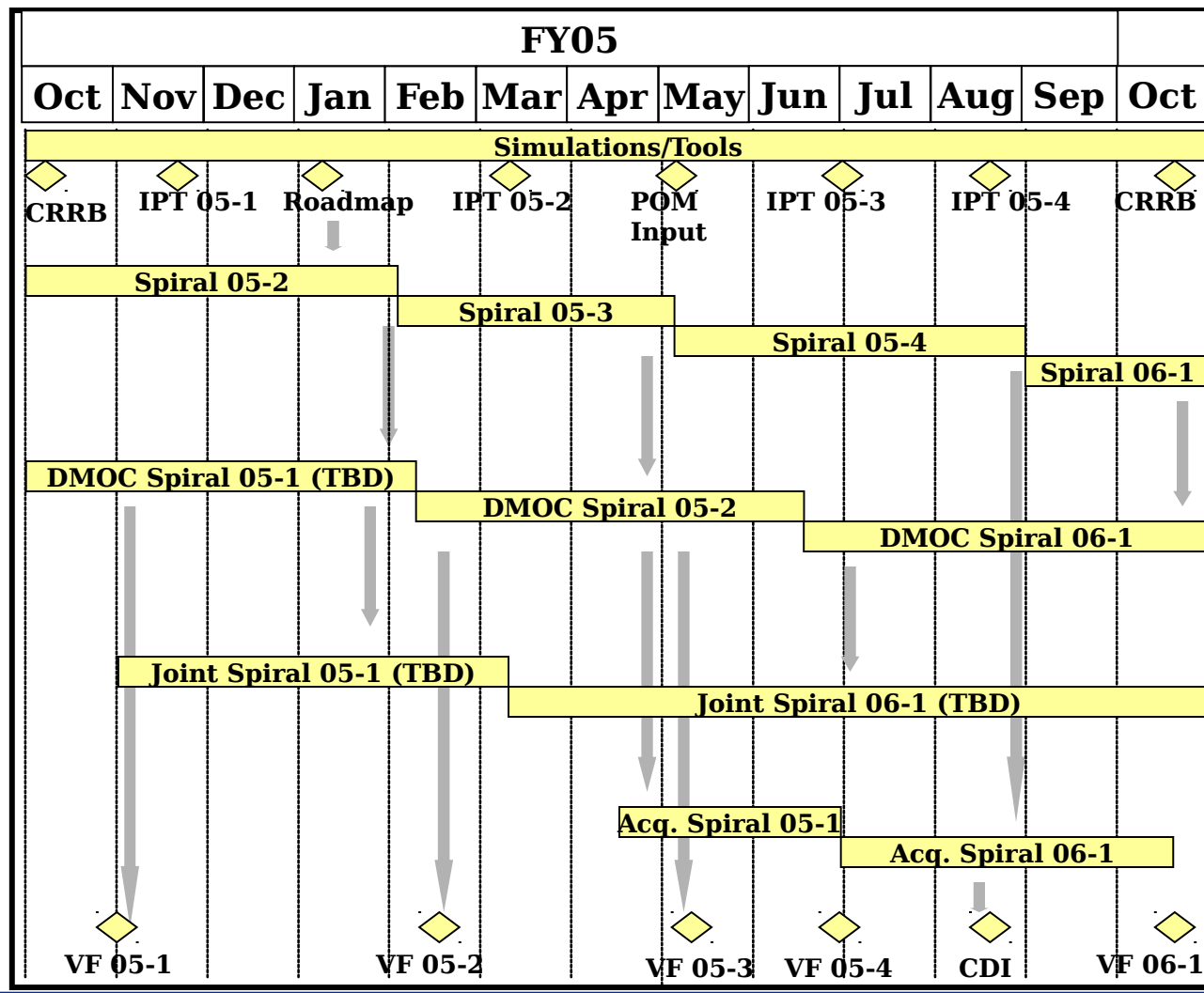
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JSB Notional Schedule - FY05

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Requirements

- JSB Foundations IPT (CRRB)

Foundation Blocks

- Integration Framework (I/F)

- Warfighting Reps (WR)

- Data

- Natural Environment (NE)

DMOC

- I/F Upgrades

- Model Enhancements

- Correlated Database

Joint Services

- RD3 Upgrades

- Scenario Generation

Acquisition

- Space Based Radar

Events

DMOC (VF's), JFCOM (JNTC/DCEE), Center for Domain Integration (CDI)
Most VF 05-1 Dates are TBD



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Funding

- **Contract Value Range - \$50M to \$98M**
- **Approximately 2/3 Developmental and 1/3 is Operations and Maintenance Support**
- **No Procurement Funds Currently Budgeted**



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Business Model - High Level

- **Prime Contractor Conducts Assessments to Recommend Best COTS/GOTS to Meet System Capability Requirements**
- **Government Reviews/Approves Implementation approach**
- **Prime Contractor Acquires Products, Integrates, and Demonstrates**
- **Requirements for Next Spiral Defined**



■ **JSB is:**

- **Focusing Resources to Provide Near Term and Meaningful Capabilities (e.g., SGS for DMO)**
- **Mitigating Risks to Reach the Long Term Vision**
 - Readily Available**
 - Reuseable**

Modeling & Simulation

Capabilities and Services

***JSB is Engaged in Laying a Corporate Foundation for
A Robust Air Force Modeling & Simulation Capability***



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Discussion



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Challenging Questions

- **What Type of Contract to Use - FFP, CPFF, CPIF . . . ?**
- **How Should the Contract be Structured to Allow for Rapid Acquisition of Products?**
- **How Should We Incentivize the Contractor - Award Fee?**
- **What Do You View to be the Biggest Challenge and Risk and Why?**
- **What Recommendations for Mitigating Challenges?**
- **What Should be the Contractor Vice Govt Role?**
- **How Should the JSB Initially be Implemented - e.g., I/F First With Some Model Integration?**
- **How to Get Contractors to Share Data, Modify Models to Integrate with JSB?**



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Challenging Questions, Cont'd

- **What Kinds of Arrangements Are Needed for Cooperation by Contractors/Government Organizations to Support Modifications to Their Developments to Integrate With JSB?**
- **How Can the Govt Prevent Parochial Solutions?**
- **How do We Prevent Another Major Simulation Acquisition Failure (e.g., JSIMS)? What Makes us Think we Can Succeed Where Others Have Failed?**
- **How do We Scope JSB so it Doesn't Appear to Be Everything to Everyone? Start with DMO and Expand from There?**
- **What is JSB to You? What Should it Be?**
- **Are any of you doing any other work for ESC that could have a potential OCI issue w/JSB?**
- **Other Questions/Challenges That Come to Mind . . .**



Risk Assessment

Risk

1. Business Model Not Well Understood

2. Lack of AF Program Office Cooperation

3. Limited Integration/Test Access to Training Systems

4. Focus/Limiting Resources to Near-Term M&S

5. Fail to Address Viable Approach to Security, e.g., MLS



Mitigation Plan

Document Plan and Promulgate;

Engage Users and Contributors Promote TMS, MOAs, and/or MOUs

with Contributor SPOs Initiate ID of Potential Scarce M&S Resources; Negotiate Use/Schedule of Resources;

Track Lessons Learned for Access Use JSB Roadmap to Chart the Path; Use AF M&S CRRB Prioritization Process

Align JSB with Related Programs Resourcing the Same Problem; Examine Commercial Practices



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Risk Assessment

Risk

6. Lack Viable Approach for Composability



Mitigation Plan

PO & Prime Keep Abreast of Initiatives; Promote/Sponsor Composability TIM/Exchanges

7. JSB Objectives not Complementary
Other AF/Joint M&S Initiatives



Continue Dialogue/Cooperation; Encourage JSB IPT Participation;

8. Single Product Solution - Narrow Focus



Focus on Communication and Roadmap and Architecture tied to AF M&S Foundation; Address Broad Set of MSCRs

9. Roadmap not Driven to Product Development



Interim Deliveries - Feedback and Course Correction; Realistic Schedule Tied to User Needs

10 risks tied for 10th risk



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Wrapup Summary



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Summary

- **Answers to Questions Will be Drafted and Posted on HERBB**
- **Planning Next Industry Day in March Timeframe**
- **Any Questions Should be Emailed to Denise.Herrera@Hanscom.af.mil to Obtain Answers/Responses**



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Backups



Acronyms

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Simulations/Tools

CSE - Common Synthetic Environment

I/F - Integration Framework

**JIDPS - Joint Integrated Database
Preparation System**

**JMOOSE - JMASS Modular Object
Oriented Simulation Environment**

NGTS - Next Generation Threat System

PBED - Plan, Brief, Execute, Debrief

SGS - Scenario Generation Server

Facilities

DMOC - DMO Center

Documents

ICD - Initial Capabilities Document

IRD - Initial Requirements Document

MSCR - M&S Capability Requirements

PMD - Program Management Directive

SRD - System Requirements Document

Conferences

**I/ITSEC - Interservice/Industry Training,
Simulation, and Education Conference**

Programs

C2CTB - C2 Constellation Testbed

CDI - Center for Domain Integration

**DCEE - Distributed Continuous
Experimentation Environment**

DMO - Distributed Mission Operations

JMASS - Joint Modeling and Simulation System

JNTC - Joint National Training Capability

**JSB-AF - Joint Synthetic Battlespace - Air
Force**

**RD3 - Rapid Distributed Database
Development**

SBIR - Small Business Innovation Research

VF - Virtual Flag

Organizations

**AFROCC - Air Force Requirements for
Operational Capabilities Council**

CRRB - Capability Requirements Review Board

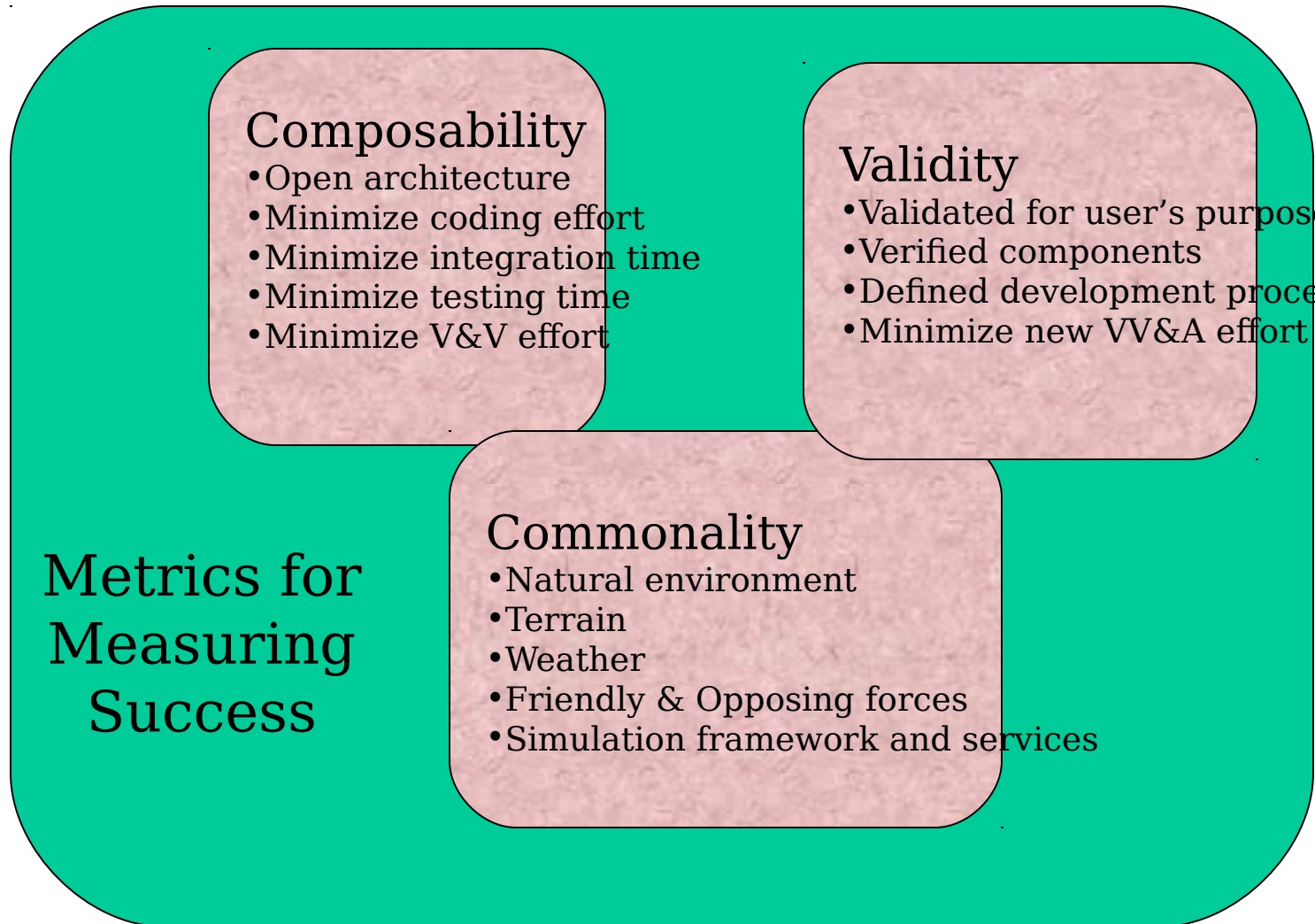
**DMSO - Defense Modeling and Simulation
Office**

JFCOM - Joint Forces Command



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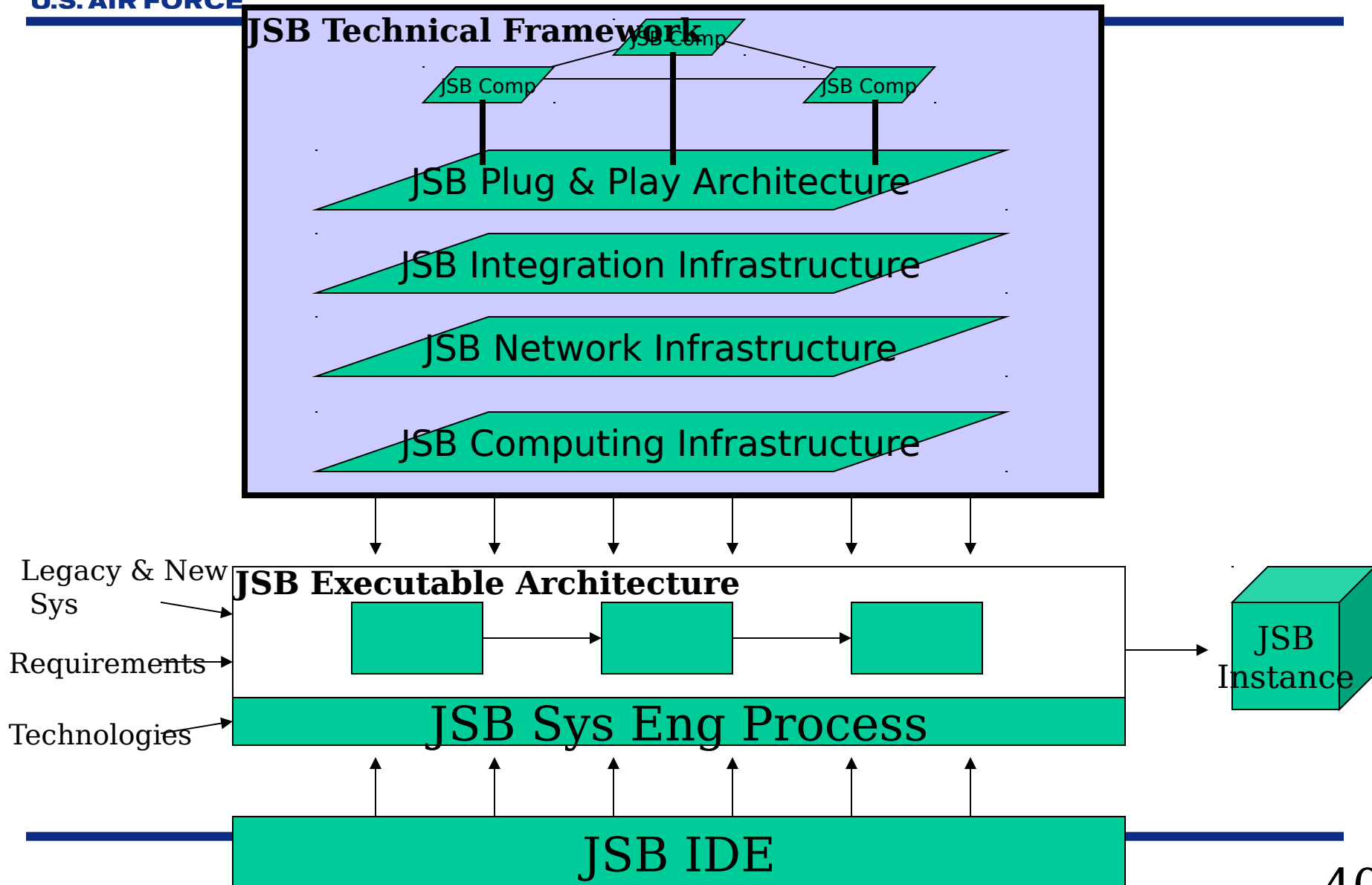
Requirements Key Technical Challenges





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Approach - Technical Overall Framework





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Approach - Technical Framework Relationship to IRD

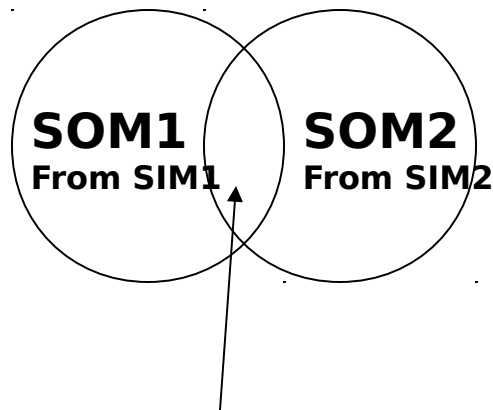
- Components _____ Warfighting & Environment
- Plug & Play Architecture _____ Rep's
- Integration Infrastructure _____ Common Approach to Integrate
- Networking _____ Common Approach to Integrate
- Computing _____ Derived - Distributed Application
- Executable Architecture _____ Derived - Performance
- Integrated Digital Environment _____ Derived - Engineering
- _____ Data Collection/Distribution



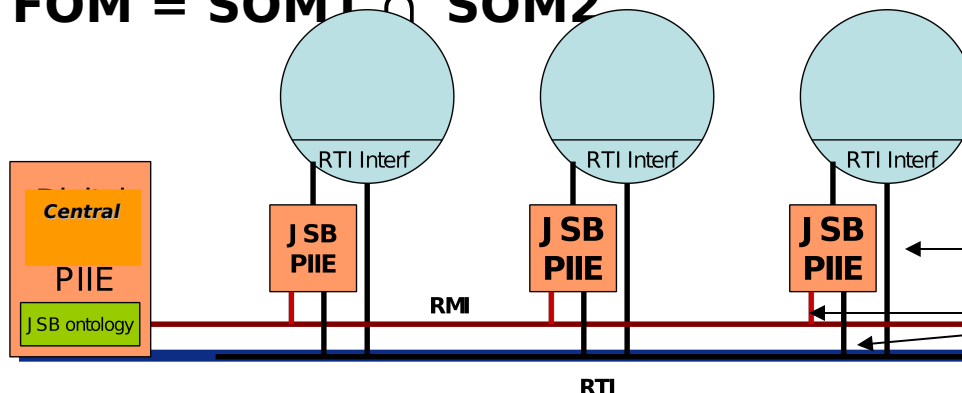
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Integration Framework (F/W) SOM

$$\text{FOM} = \text{SOM1} \cup \text{SOM2}$$



A PIIE-like Function Captures
Common Relationships Where
 $\text{FOM} = \text{SOM1} \cap \text{SOM2}$



- Maximizes common FOM
 - Standardize JSB common FOM
- Minimizes modification of Simulations
 - Assessing Ontology Based Integration

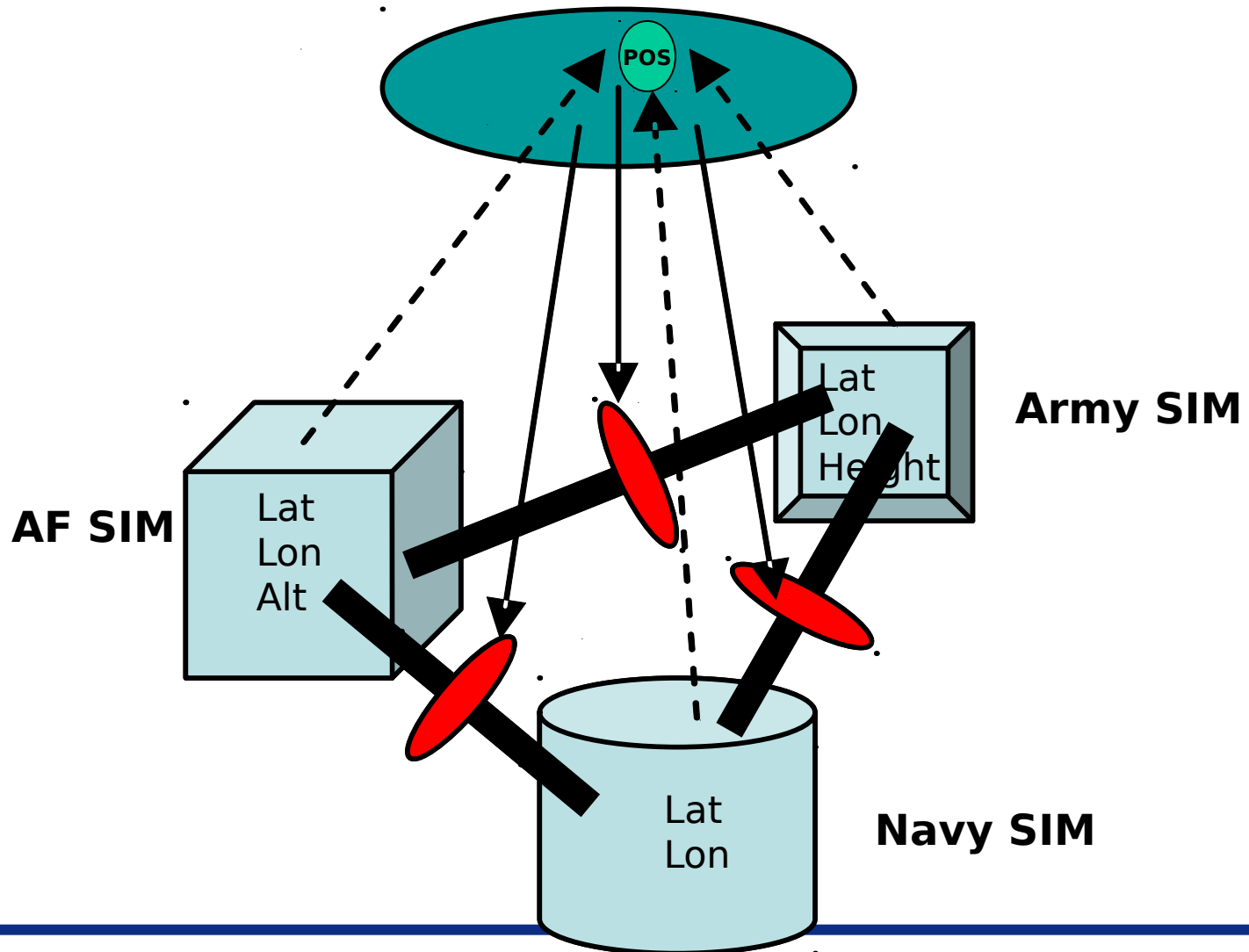
Mini Tutorial: FOM/SOM:

- FOM/SOM - Federation/Simulation Object
- Provides the Interface Spec
- Allows for Publish & Subscribe of Model O



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Integration Framework An Approach - Ontology





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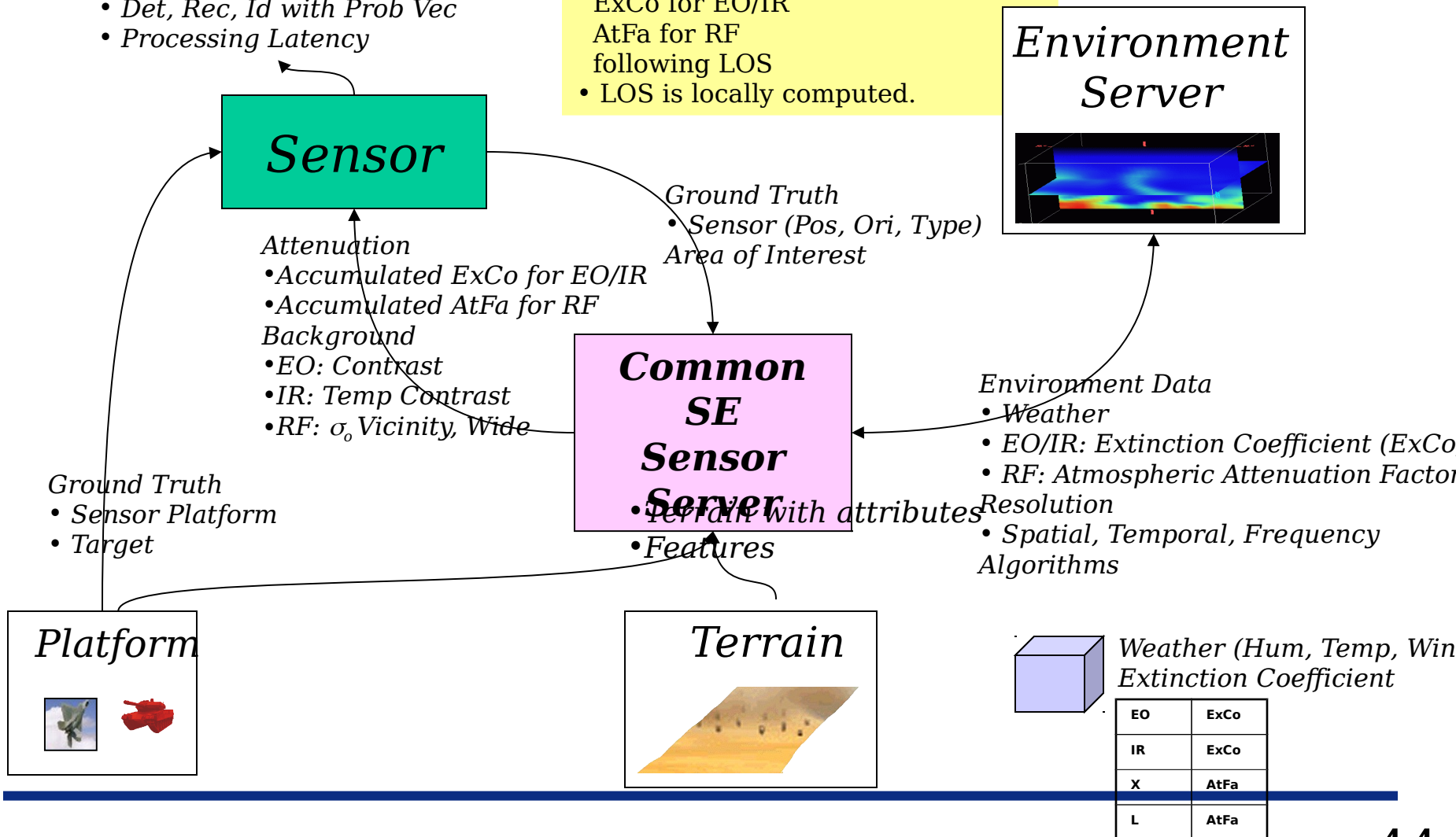
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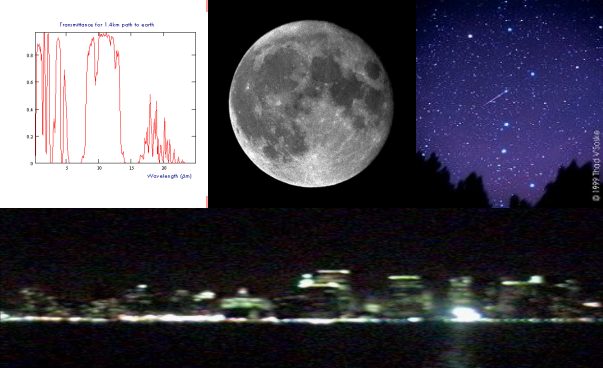
Tracks & Image

- Det, Rec, Id with Prob Vec
- Processing Latency

Functions of Common SE Server

- Compute accumulated ExCo for EO/IR
- AtFa for RF following LOS
- LOS is locally computed.





CSE for At-aperture EO/IR/RF Signatures



Attenuated
refracted RF signal
(MTI, SAR & ELINT)

Attenuated,
refracted
directional
EO/IR passband
radiance
(LANTIRN & EO)

Full, Hi-Res Spectral
Solar/Lunar/Star/Sky/Manmade
Irradiances

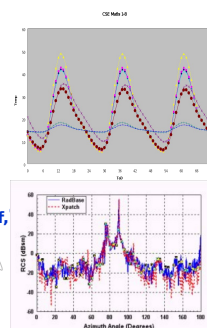
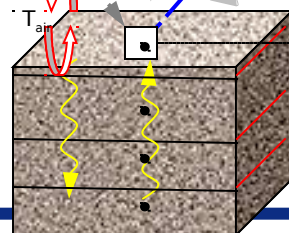
Direct Reflected Passband Irradiance

3D Gridded Atmosphere

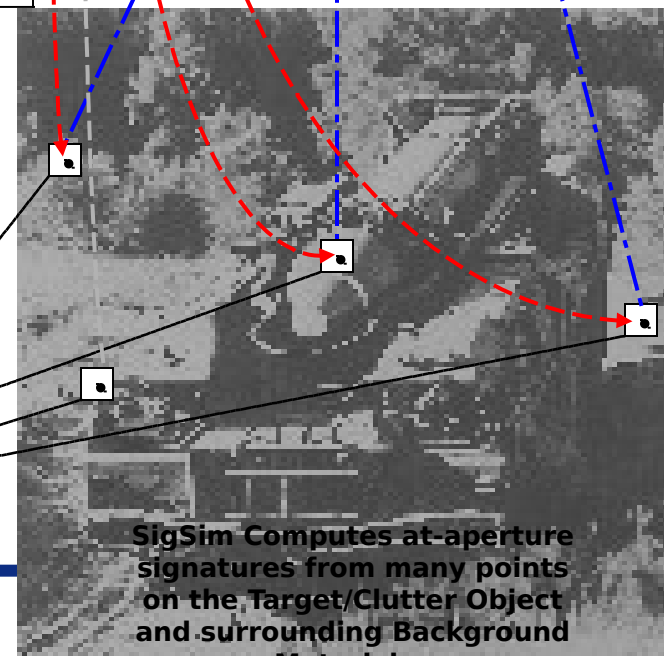
Scattered & Attenuated Direct &
Diffuse Spectral Irradiance &
Atmospheric Emission

EO/IR/RF Signature
Synthesis

- Material Systems assigned to DB&Target Objects
- Spectral BRDF directional radiance
- 1D Transient Thermal Model, (Diurnal cycle, solar loading, conduction, convection, radiative cooling, dynamic vehicle states)



T_{surf}
 $R_{surf}(az, el, \lambda)$
 $\sigma(az, el, f)$ or
 $\sigma_o(az, el, f)$ or
Emitter Power



SigSim Computes at-aperture
signatures from many points
on the Target/Clutter Object
and surrounding Background



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Approach Technical Warfighting Reps - Lego

"197 Pieces"



**JSB Software Components
(CSE, Scenario Generator, etc)**

"The Idea Book included with this set will bring hours of fun, with detailed step by step instructions for 10



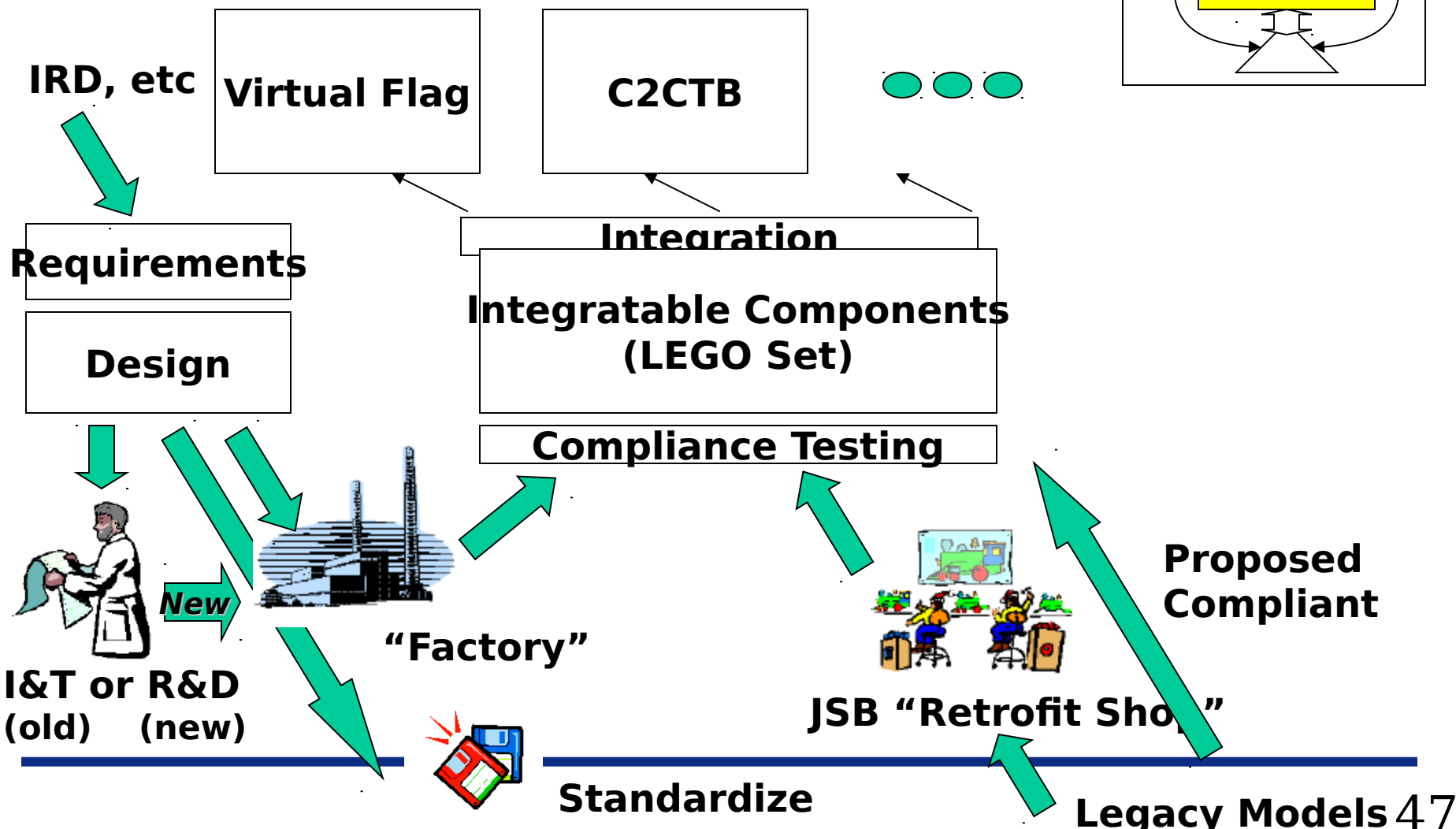
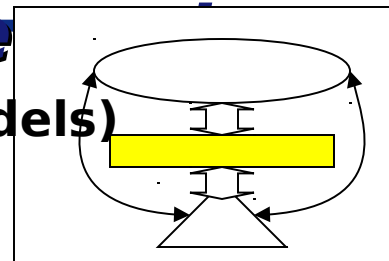
**JSB Events or Instances
(Virtual Flag, C2CTB, etc)**



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Approach - Technical Acquiring Warfighting Representation

JSB "Events" or Instances (LEGO Models)



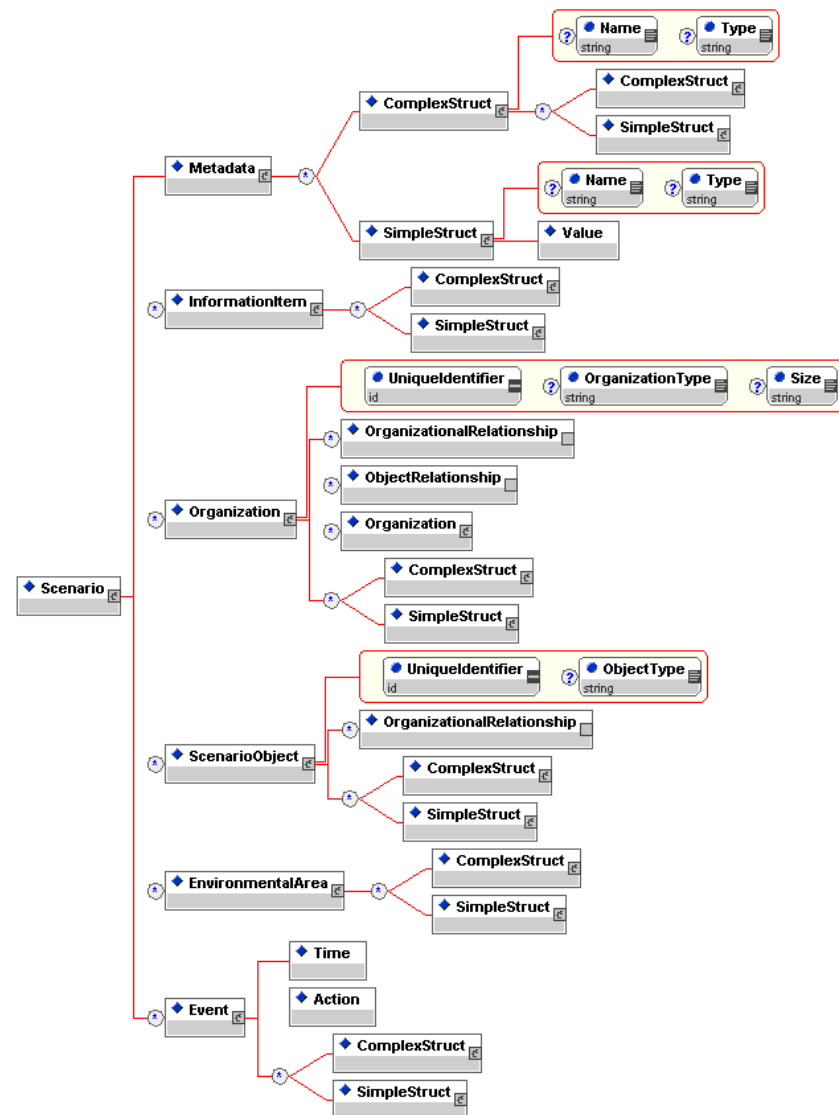


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Taxonomy

Strategy:

- Taxonomy Defines What Need to Acquire
- Want Minimal Capability to Depict Operational Battlespace (JMASS Lesson Learned)
- Expand Capability to Support Unique User Needs

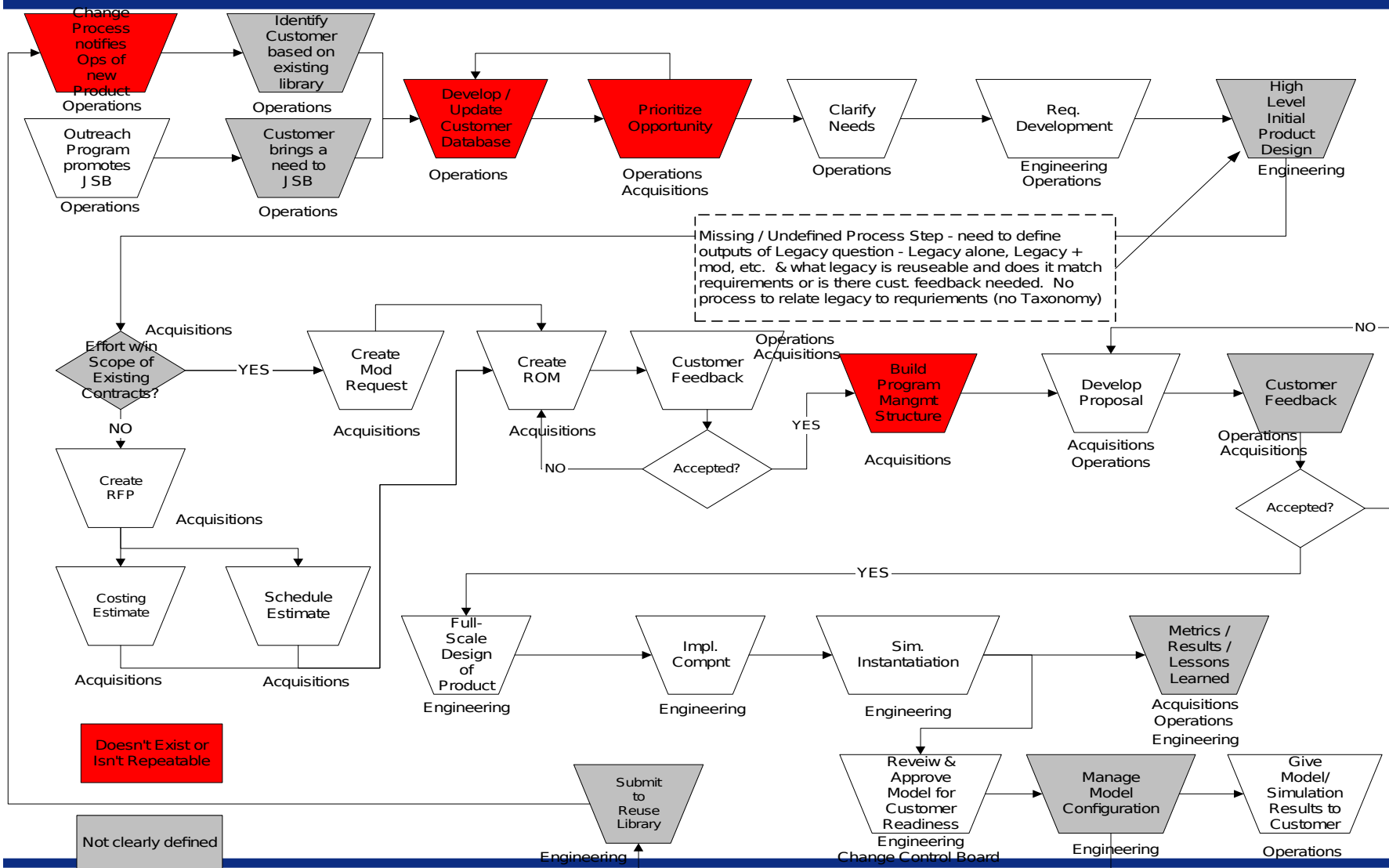




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A View of Processes



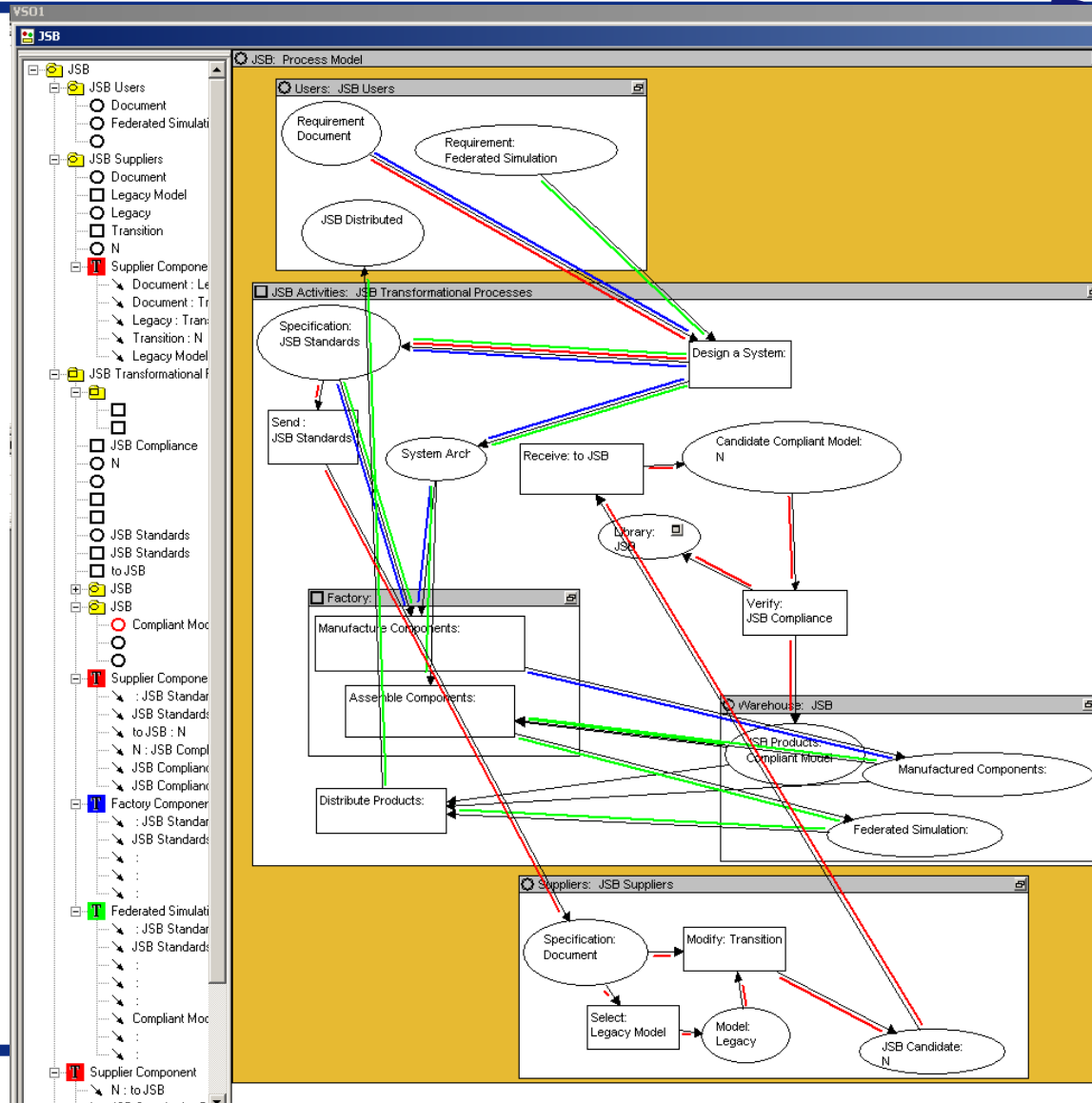


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Executable Architecture Captures

Processes



Users

JSB

Legacy